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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Re Application Of:

Mark D. Riggins

Serial No: 08/841,950

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For: SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR  
ENABLING SECURE ACCESS  
TO SERVICES IN A COMPUTER  
NETWORK

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## PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Sir:

Applicant hereby petitions for a two-month extension of time within which to reply to the Office Action mailed October 7, 1999. A check for \$ 190.00 is enclosed.

If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor.

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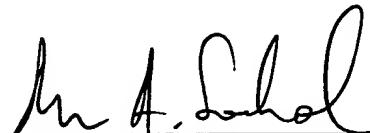
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If for any reason an insufficient fee has been paid, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the insufficiency in the fee for the Extension of Time to Deposit Account No. 05-0150.

Respectfully submitted



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